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here is my first cut at a letter to NRCS clarifying that Yakima is not part of a national initiative to drive agriculture out of business as suggested by the Dairy Federation. The cc list on this is as important as the letter - I would recommend a very broad list including congressional offices, state directors and the three dairy federations. Ed, I do not believe this draft covers the point made by Cynthia Giles - I thought you might be able to add that as well as any other edits.

This allows us to tell at least part of our story so would like to get this up to Dennis and HQ asap. Please send any comments by cob tomorrow.

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